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Applicant: Kcbayashi et al.

Serial No. 09/187,700

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For: STORAGE MEDIUM AND METHOD
AND APPARATUS FOR SEPARATELY
PROTECTING DATA IN DIFFERENT
AREAS OF THE STORAGE MEDIUM
(as amended)

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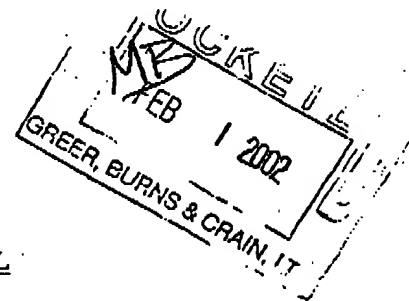
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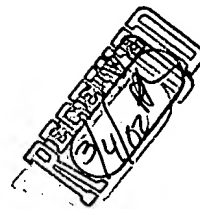
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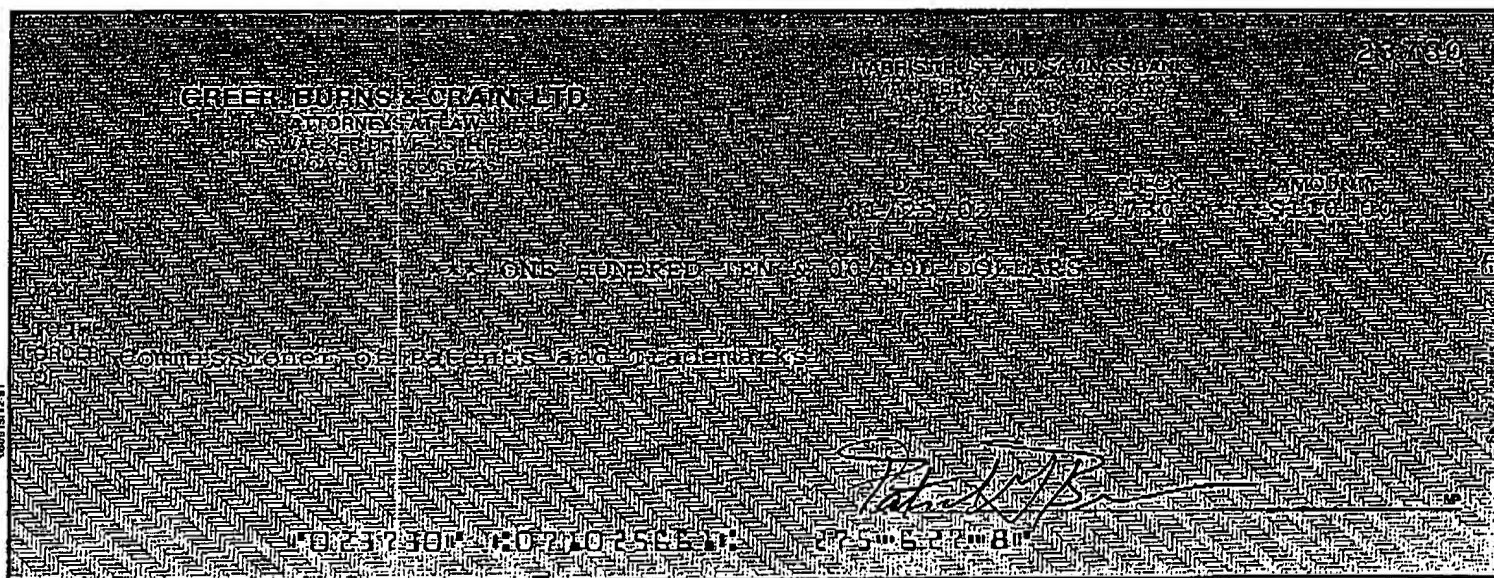
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